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WANTED.—An owner for a leather valise found in a ravine off Dungias street, near the city hall. The valise contains clothing, cards, etc., marked "Alex Begg, Seattle Cuisine," in one side which is cut open. The contents of the other side not known. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses, on application to the Chief of Police. 1729

WANTED.—A young man for an insurance office. Address, giving references, P. O. Box 674, Victoria. jy26-tf

WANTED.—A girl for general house work. Wages $20 per month. Apply at the Goldstream House, or Times office. jy25-1w

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FOR RENT—From Aug. 1st—The offices now occupied by the B. & N. Railway Co., in Redfern's block, 42 Government street. Apply to C. E. Redfern on the premises. jy26

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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NOTICE.

MR. ALEXANDER K. MUNRO HAS BEEN admitted as a full partner in the Victoria Machinery Depot from the 20th day of May, 1889. The business will be carried on as heretofore under the firm name of Spratt & Gray.

Victoria B. C., 22nd July, 1889.

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THE VICTORIA PULPIT.

Rev. Mr. Starr Preaches a Characteristic Sermon at the Methodist Church.

The Social Evil Courageously Attacked—St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

PANDORA STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

The services held in this church yesterday were conducted in the morning by the Rev. Mr. Beer, and in the evening by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Starr. It was quite evident that from the crowded state of the congregation, at the evening service particularly, that a new church is urgently needed. The subject in the evening was "The next greatest evil to the evil of liquor traffic—places of ill-repute." "The Vale of Siddim was full of slime pits." (Gen. 14: 10). Without much preface, the Reverend Mr. Starr plunged into his subject, stating that at this distance of history, so little interest is attached to these slimepits that he need not elaborate upon them. "Suffice it to say," continued the reverend speaker, "that in their neighborhood was fought the first battle in bible history, and that it was the cause of the defeat of the attacking army, destroying a vast multitude of soldiers. Nearer home more dangerous and infinitely more destructive are the slimepits infesting the community upon which I wish to fasten your attention. According to the report presented by the Chief of Police, there are forty inmates of houses of ill-repute. In addition to these, there is the number continually fluctuating between Vancouver, New Westminster and the Sound. Speaking generally, hypothetically you know, there are more inmates in this city, proportionately, than there are in Chicago, New York, or even London, England. Objections may be made to mentioning these places from the pulpit. Some people consider it highly improper, exceedingly injudicious, scandalous. My experience is, though, that those who make objections are not always wholly disinterested. I once preached from the text, "Let him that is without sin, cast the first stone." The next day, a being in the shape of a man stopped me in the street, and said, "Do you know, I was perfectly disgusted last night." "Indeed?" said I, "I didn't think you were." He continued, "If I thought I would not attract any attention, I would have taken my wife and walked out of church." I proposed that, without explaining the reason, I would preach the same sermon next Sunday night, word for word as near as I can reproduce it, and you walk out of church with your wife on your arm. Becoming angry, and flushing up, he said, "Oh, pshaw! That will never do at all." "No, I don't think it will, because although your poor wife don't know it, almost every one knows that, but three nights ago, you were carried out of a brothel dead drunk. I made this proposition to show what a virtuous man you are." On several occasions I have met this man, but never once has he objected to the pulpit dealing with the social sin. Generally those objections take their rise in impurity, either secret or notorious. Besides, against all objections, I can propose a reply I consider perfectly valid. Just as long as the people do not consider it scandalous or highly improper to countenance the nuisance in their midst, so long will it be proper for the pulpit to let in the light and expose these places of iniquity. I ask you to notice the sources from which these places of iniquity are fed. First, avariciousness. The inmates of these places must have rooms and shelter. They are able to pay high rents. If no one will rent them the buildings, there will be no such places. But so avaricious are some people, that they will sell their good names at the price of rents from these houses, knowing for what purpose they are rented. How any man or woman can stain his or her hand with money made from the sale of souls is something I cannot understand. The state attorney of Portland, in his report to the grand jury, which was published in one of your papers, I believe, makes use of this language: "A man or woman who rents his or her place for a purpose of this nature puts himself or herself down to the same level," and I agree with him. So avaricious and unscrupulous for gain are some people that if the devil himself wanted a building in town to start a branch of hell, they would rent him a place, provided that before he gave them the money he would soak the money in iced water. Another feeder is the liquor traffic. There is nothing that would so surely dethrone the moral and the spiritual in a man, and make the brute triumphant as the use of intoxicating liquors. You tell me a man is a captive of the cup, and he will become a captive of shame. So true is it that rum fosters these places of ill-repute that the greatest number of them are found among the grog shops. These places are the legitimate children of the liquor traffic. More feeders of these slimepits are impure literature, low theatre, public dancing hall. If I was chief of police I would watch the public dancing hall. Poverty, too, sometimes drives people to these places. I will cite a single instance that came under the notice of the Women's Protective Union of New York. The proprietor came up to a young girl, and said, "You don't dress good enough." "I can't dress any better," said the girl, "I only get six dollars a week; four of that I have to pay for board; I have to send some to a sick mother, and I have only a small amount left for my clothes and car fare." "Well," said the man," "you don't dress good enough. You have to earn money some other way. Others do, why not you?" An incident like that makes my finger-tips tingle, and though I despise him for a brute, for five minutes I would like to be Sullivan. A great many are driven there by deceit and base ingratitude. Nine out of ten found in these places have been duped, ruined and destroyed. Yielding at a moment of weakness, a woman deems most precious, she finds the door closed, her home slammed against her. What can she do? Where can she go? Christians turn their backs on her. The church has no pity. Society, smiling on her betrayer, sweeps aside its dress for fear of contamination. Where can she go? There runs the path of shame. Smothering up her agonizing cry, biting her lips in anguish, she follows this path. By all there means, avariciousness, rum traffic, base betrayal, society's scornfulness are all these places fostered. Are there no means by which these places may be removed? You say, "The board of aldermen ought to do something." I think so, too. If by laws and regulations, the board of aldermen think it worth while to protect several deer, a wolf and a bear at the park, I think they ought to protect the pure wives, daughters and mothers who go to the park for a few hours recreation, from the vulgar intrusion of these women. There ought to be some method to make this evil hide its head. There is no hope save in elevating the moral tone of public sentiment. Oh, my friends, there must be reform in this matter, or society will go to pieces. Is there no danger in going to these places? Just come with me to the disease wards in any hospital, and see the men lying there tortured with pain. If the public could read the faces at a sinful physician can, they would cry out 'Make way, make way!' The leper, the leper!' Then the lives led in these places are not attractive. Hours of agony and remorse, in which they drug themselves and drown their sorrow in the wine cup. Is there no way of escape? Oh, yes, the way of the poor girl the other night, at the flash of the revolver. Another way is down to the docks where the cold river runs. Anywhere, anywhere out of the world. But God is merciful. The impressive discourse was brought to a close by citing a thrilling incident from life, in which was traced the fall, the return, and the welcome home of a poor wanderer.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

In this church the service in the morning was conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Macleod, and in the evening by the Hon. Senator John Macdonald, of Toronto. On both occasions the sacred edifice was comfortably filled. Preaching on the nature and effect of true repentance, the Rev. Mr. Macleod took for his text Matthew 3:8; "Bring forth therefore fruits meet for repentance." "This was the language of John the Baptist," said the reverend gentleman, "then whom perhaps there was not a braver preacher. It is a question whether he would be so popular now as in his days. No one would like such preaching as this for instance: 'O generation of vipers, who hath warned you to flee from the wrath to come?' Now-a-days if the language is of such a kind as we can pass on to the next person, then we say there is something in that kind of preaching, and that something has been done. It was no easy matter for them to hear such language. Pharisees were known, and so were Sadducees, and therefore John refused to accept them till he saw they had truly repented of their sins. We need to guard against the spurious kind of repentance. This is a kind of repentance that ends in talk and pious wishes. There used to be a man that for quite a time told me that what I said just suited his case, and that he was quite sure he was the man I hit. I had hoped that he would show himself truly repentant, but he seemed perfectly satisfied with having merely given expression to the fact that his case had been described. And the worst of it is, we often flaunt these spurious expressions of repentance before the Lord himself, thinking that we have cleared ourselves by so doing. There must be "fruits meet for repentance." There is great danger in being disgusted with the result of our sins though not ashamed of the sins themselves. Here is a man who has been leading a life of shame, and I go to him in the most loving way possible, and what does he say "I am sorry?" No, but "Who told you so, was it my wife?" It is nothing that God has been grieved, but it is something when our fellow men have found us out. It is meet we should be able to enter into the spirit of the Psalmist when he said "against Thee and Thee only have I sinned." There is also the sorrow like that of Judas which brings only remorse and death. True repentance is a change of mind with regard to sin. There must be a frank confession of our sins, and it is to be both secret and public. There must be an instant and immediate turning from our old sins. The question comes to us all, when must I repent? I must repent whenever I sin. If you have never repented, now is the time. It is a bad thing to allow our accounts to run on, to let our sins go from day to day without being confessed. Can I ask God for His numerous blessings with my sins unconfessed and my heart rebellious and impenitent?

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

R. L. Cawston, of Osoyoos, arrived in this city on Saturday evening.

Miss Kate Burnes returned home on Saturday evening from a visit to friends in Vancouver and New Westminster.

Napier Hibben, youngest son of T. N. Hibben, left for Santa Clara college on Sunday afternoon. The young gentleman will remain at college for some years.

Alderman Coughlan was a passenger for New Westminster on the steamer Ritbet last evening.

Congressman Dorsey, of Nebraska; Congressman Burroughs, of Michigan; Congressman Stewart, of Vermont and General Nathan Goff of West Virginia, arrived in this city on Saturday evening and were guests at the Clarence Hotel until this morning when they left for Seattle. The distinguished party took carriages on Sunday afternoon and enjoyed a drive around the suburbs. Congressman Dorsey acted as chaperon of the party and stated that he brought his distinguished associates that they might learn personally the extent of the riches of the west. The Congressmen were lond in their praise of Victoria which they considered one of the prettiest places on the Pacific coast.

H. C. Brandes and wife, of Portland, are in the city for a two weeks' sojourn.

Gen. Rufus Ingalls, after a stay of several days in the city, left for San Francisco yesterday.

Lieut.-Col. Holmes arrived from the interior on Saturday night, whither he had been for his health. He returns much improved.

Grand Master J. W. Meldram and Deputy Grand Master Walker of the I. O. O. F., arrived from Vancouver last night.

Miss Lucretia Horton arrived by the Yosemite last night.

Col. Baker, M. P. P., who went on a business visit to San Francisco a month ago, returned on Saturday night.

T. W. Reilly, special correspondent of the St. Paul *Journal of Commerce*, is in the city on business connected with the paper.

Hon. Justice O'Reilly arrived down on to-day's E. & N. Railway train.

Mr. Wm. Chudley and Mrs. Chudley and son arrived on this afternoon's train from Goldstream.

RICH FIND OF OIL.

Rocky Mountains Assaying 91 Per Cent. of Lubricating Oil.

Ottawa, July 24.—Interesting particulars of a rich find of oil in the Northwest came to hand to-day in a letter received by Mr. Alfred Patrick, late clerk of the House of Commons, from his son, Major Allery Poynts Patrick, Dominion topographical surveyor of Calgary. The letter says: "For eleven weeks we have been prospecting among mountains for coal oil deposits. I am happy to say we have been eminently successful. We have located a considerable quantity of oil lands—some on the eastern slope and some on the British Columbia side. So soon as we felt perfectly certain and justified as to the importance of our discoveries, we took the necessary precaution to have several of the samples assayed. The result is 91 per cent. of lubricating oil, 5 per cent. heavy oil, 1 per cent. water, and 3 per cent. foreign matter. This is the best oil ever discovered, far ahead of the Pennsylvania oil fields. I have made a choice and registered in my own name forty acres on this side of the summit and about 500 acres in British Columbia; also two other claims not yet surveyed. Being about 4,500 feet above the sea level the crude oil can be run off in pipes any distance. I understand the Galt company have stated that they will lay pipes for us to Lethbridge free if we will pump the oil for them. Capital is all that is wanted. All our oil lands are within easy reach of the railway. It is the greatest find ever known."

THE PRINCE OF WALES.

His Royal Highness Displeased About the Discussion on Royal Grants.

The Jesuit Question Still Agitating the East—Death by Electricity.

[By Postal Telegraph.]

Kingston, July 29.—Connection was made on Friday at Harrowsmith between the Kingston & Pembroke and the Napanee & Tamworth Railways. Iron will be laid at the Harrowsmith end. Much difficulty has been found in securing placement for piers across the Napanee river at Yorker. Six hundred men are working between Tweed and Tamworth and in October trains will be running from Kingston to Tweed.

JUDGE PRO TEM.

Toronto, July 29.—Mr. Morrison, barrister, has received a commission appointing him Deputy County Judge until September 10th, during the vacations of County Judges McDougal and Morgan.

A QUICK TRIP.

Quebec, July 29.—The mail steamship Vancouver arrived at port shortly after 3 o'clock Saturday morning, landed passengers and left for Montreal at 7 a. m. She had made the fastest inward trip of the season so far.

ALIEN LAW SUSPENDED.

Ottawa, July 27.—The local authorities at Alexandria Bay have withdrawn the enforcement of the alien labor law, and matters have resumed a normal condition. This is mainly due to the energetic efforts of Taylor, M. P. It is understood he plainly intimated to the American authorities that if Canadians were prevented from exercising their callings as they had done uninterruptedly for years, just as American citizens have passed without let or hindrance into Canadian territory, to ply their vocations, he would invoke the Canadian statute against them. The operation of the alien law has, therefore, been suspended.

DEATH BY ELECTRICITY.

New York, July 27.—In the hearing before the referee of Kemmler electrical committee yesterday, Mr. Edison was put on the stand as witness, and if his testimony were to decide the fate the Kemmler murderer would surely meet his fate in the electrical chair. Wilson had no doubt whatever of the power of an alternating current to kill a man instantaneously and painlessly, and was sure it could be done without burning.

SOJOURNING IN HALIFAX.

Halifax, July 27.—Rev. D. J. Macdonnel, Toronto, addressed a large meeting this evening on the Jesuit question. Hon. A. G. Jones, at the close of Macdonnel's address, spoke for a few minutes, pointing out that the action of himself and friends in the House of Commons was founded on their idea of what they considered provincial rights. Macdonnel and Rev. Mr. Burns replied to Mr. Jones' argument at length and at the close a resolution was passed by a very large vote that the Governor-General be petitioned by this chairman in the name of the meeting to veto the Jesuit Act.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Montreal, July 29.—A decree has been received from Rome giving Mgr. Labelle jurisdiction over all bishops in the province unless when in their own dioceses, and raising him to the rank of Apostolic prothonotary. It is said that Meeter and his cabinet will supply the vestments and other insignia.

BOULANGER VICTORIOUS.

Paris, July 29.—Returns are still incomplete from yesterday's elections for members of the Council General. According to figures of *Le Petit Journal*, General Boulanger has been elected in seventeen cantons while Reuter's dispatches make him successful in only 11.

OUT OF MISERY.

Halifax, July 29. The wife of James Wenscutt, a printer, died this morning from the effect of burns received through her clothes taking fire.

SIGNING A PETITION.

London, Ont., July 29.—The petition of the Equal Rights Association to the Dominion Government to disallow the Jesuits' Estates act was read in many of the Protestant churches in the city yesterday, and the members requested to step up and sign it. Thousands of signatures were attached.

OBITUARY.

Elmira, Ont., July 29.—Peter Winger, postmaster since 1863, and one of the pioneers and old time councillors of Waterloo county, is dead aged 74.

SMITH CLAIMS THE BELT.

The New York *Police Gazette* has a cable from Mr. Atkinson, in London, saying that as Sullivan has refused Smith's challenge, Smith claims the *Police Gazette* champion-hip belt. Smith says his manager deposited £1,000 with *Sporting Life* to show that he meant business. He was also willing to send the deposit to New York if necessary. His only stipulation was that the meeting shall come off in mild weather. "I wouldn't go," said he "into the ring under the conditions which prevailed at Richburg. It would be simply suicidal. Sullivan is no doubt a great fighter and is just now in his prime, but at the same time I believe I could give him the best fight he has had yet and whip him to boot. I weigh want seventy-five rounds or two hours to do it in." Smith is in magnificent condition and very temperate and careful in his diet, and takes lively exercise. It would only require a short notice to get him ready for the ring. Sullivan's friends say he would not go to England because he would not get fair play there, neither would he fight under London prize ring rules.

THE PRINCE DISPLEASED.

Prince of Wales not Pleased Over the Royal Grants Wrangle.

London, July 29.—Well-founded reports are to the effect that the Prince of Wales is anything but pleased over the royal grants wrangle, which was started in Parliament up to the time of his daughter's marriage. The strength of the party opposed to the royal grants has become so great as to drive the government to consider the expediency of reviving the civil list. A majority of the cabinet favor this plan, thinking better terms can be obtained from the present Parliament than from a succeeding one, which is certain to have an increase of the democratic spirit. Lord Salisbury is in a quandary over the question, but a revision and has arranged to consult with the Queen over the question. The Radicals now expect their support to reach 200.

This evening Mr. Morley will move an amendment not unlike the one recently defeated. It is that according to the opinion expressed by the royal grants commission no adequate reason has been given why younger members of the royal family should be further provided for by the government. The House will be prorogued August 20.

At the Wesleyan conference a resolution has been passed denouncing betting and gambling in every form and it was urged that vigorous efforts to suppress it be made.

SPORTING NOTES.

A Victorian Expresses His Opinion of the Race for the Championship.

A letter was received in this city on Saturday from a young Victorian residing in Toronto. The writer says: "Toronto people are very sanguine of O'Connor winning the big race in September. There is no doubt about Searle being a "corker," but O'Connor they maintain will stay with him from start to finish. I myself think that O'Connor will win and these are my reasons: Searle cannot row away from O'Connor in the first mile, for the reason that O'Connor has wonderful pace, in proof of which glance at his speed in his race with Tremeer. O'Connor is a stayer and will fight the whole way like a tiger. Teemer has proven himself to be one of the best, but O'Connor simply played with him. Hanlan was easily beaten by Searle. Again, Hanlan was easily beaten by Teemer who in turn was easily beaten by O'Connor. Searle and O'Connor thus both conquered the vanquishers of Hanlan, and the question of comparison resolves itself into relating the respective merits of Kemp and Teemer. Kemp plainly showed his superiority to Hanlan by beating him three times; but then it is admitted on all sides that Hanlan never rowed in anything like his customary form in Australia. Teemer won from Hanlan before setting out for Australia and it is very plausible to assert that Hanlan lost condition on his trip and subsequent stay in Australia, by which I mean to say that Teemer beat the better man, or that the Canadian Hanlan was superior to the Australian Hanlan. The comparison can go no further and everything else restricts itself to vague conjecture. Both have reached the height of aquatic prowess in a remarkably short time; but there is no doubt that in Searle and O'Connor the best men are battling for the world's championship. O'Connor is very plucky and this is a great quality. Another thing, O'Connor will enter the race in grand form, as he is a most temperate liver."

CRICKET.

The match between the elevens picked by Sinclair and Rhodes on Saturday resulted in a victory for the former with a score of 153 runs to 116. In the former Wilson, Pooley and Sinclair led with 32, 33 and 27 respectively.

In a game between C Battery and H. M. S. Champion the land forces turned the tables on the navy in the worst way, the match winding up in the Battery's favor with a score of 235 to 81.

THE RIFLE.

Saturday's shooting at Clover Point showed continued improvement. J. C. Newberry ran up the splendid score of 122 at the four ranges, seven shots each range. Master Gr Cornish followed with 113, A. G. Langley with 108, J. Beckwith with 100, B. Williams with 91.

THE LACROSSE MATCH.

The result of a hard played contest as indicated in Saturday evening's TIMES, was a victory for the home team. The teams were lined up at 3:30, both in good condition. Mr. J. R. Polley had been chosen as referee, and Messrs. Schofield and Wilson agreed upon as umpires. Two hours time was agreed upon; or if either of them had in less than that time managed to secure four goals, their four games to carry victory with them. The personel of the teams was the same as that already published, the best players which could be secured in either Victoria or Vancouver having a place on the aggregations. Both went in to win, and result of the match seemed doubtful. During the greater part of the first innings the Victoria defence were hard pressed, the ball being kept in dangerous proximity to the goal of the home players, and the Vancouvers frequently onesheig in an effort to swipe it through. Smith at last made a shot for the Victoria goal—not squarely—but the ball striking the foot of the Victoria field captain, glanced through, winning the first game for Vancouver in 15 minutes.

After the usual ten minutes rest they went at it again, the home team slightly aggravated over the result of the first game. The ball was passed up and down the field, from one end to the other, some three or four times, when Shedden meeting a throw from Cullen, put it through Vancouver's goal with an underhand shot. Time, five minutes.

The third game lasted one minute longer than the second. Tite threw the ball from outside the flags to Shedden, who by another underhand shot scored another game for Victoria. Time, six minutes.

Game number four was stiffly contested. After two unsuccessful attempts on the Vancouver goal by Tite and Sprinkling, the ball was caught by Smith who made a successful shot on the Victoria goal winning the fourth game for Vancouver. Time 8 minutes.

The honors of the day now hung in the balance. Each team with two games to its credit, they were so far even in the race. Vancouver strove hard for victory. Eventually, however, Cassck threw from behind the poles, the ball was caught by sprinkling an thrown on the ground it being assisted through by C. L. Cullin. Time of fifth game 13 minutes.

In the sixth the visitors made no effectual stand, C. Cullin receiving the ball from Cusack passed it through the goal winning the sixth game for Victoria in 8 minutes.

NOTES.

The match was undoubtedly one of the hardest and most stubbornly contested ever played in the province.

If anything too much feeling was shown. If the game is to continue to find favor with the public teams must be friendly to each other.

It did not require any knowledge of the game to see that there was too much strong language, too much slugging and rough play generally. In this some of the visitors were certainly the aggressors and lost the sympathy of the crowd over and above what naturally went to the home players.

It was the opinion of many that a policeman or two might be present on such occasions to assist in keeping the field clear and preserving order generally. The usual amount of betting took place on the result.

McKenzie captained the home team in good style, the boys giving good attention to his directions.

GRAND TESTIMONIAL BENEFIT.

A grand testimonial benefit will be tendered Geo. W. Irvine, who was recently defeated in a 300 yard race, and the match of the Warren McIntyre last mile race, by the several well known professional and amateur athletes at present in this city, on Monday evening, August 12th, in the Yates street skating rink. The programme will consist of sparring, wrestling, jumping, running, club swinging, and dumb-bell lifting, and will be the best entertainment of the kind ever given in Victoria.

HALF MILE RACE.

The half mile race between W. Miller and J. West, at Duncan's, on Saturday last for $100, was won easily by West in 2:15.

POLE VAULTING.

There is some talk of a pole vaulting contest between Rowe, of this place, and Paterson, of Nanaimo, ex-champion of Ireland.

A SERIES OF RACES.

Geo. W. Irvine is anxious to run any man in Victoria a series of different races in one afternoon. Seven or eleven.

TO THE TIMES ONLY.

New Railway Connection in Ontario—Quick Trip to Quebec.

Mr. A. M. Stenhouse on Mormonism and Polygamy—Another Nominee.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Toronto, July 29.—Thomas J. Ward and daughter were drowned here to-day in the bay by the swamping of their boat in a heavy sea.

ONTARIO WHEAT CROP BLIGHTED.

Montreal, July 29.—A leading member of the milling trade in this city said they were looking out for a splendid crop in Ontario, when their hopes became suddenly blighted. There has been too much wet, and they began to fear rust, and it struck the wheat last Sunday and Monday night.

LACROSSE.

Toronto, July 29.—Shamrock lacrosse club, 3; Toronto, 5.

MCCARTHY TO LECTURE.

Winnipeg, July 29.—Dalton McCarthy, M. P., will deliver one lecture on the Jesuit question in Manitoba, at Portage La Prairie on August 5th. A rumor was current yesterday the Attorney General Martin would shortly retire from the provincial Government to become solicitor for the Northern Pacific.

DROPPED DEAD.

Toronto, July 29.—Private dispatches from Cuicago say that George Harcourt a merchant tailor, who has been in business on Yonge street for forty years here, dropped dead to-day from apoplexy.

MR. A. M. STENHOUSE AND THE DONALD TRUTH.

To the Editor of The Times:

SIR,—The *Truth* (sometime of Donald, B. C.), has omitted to publish the following rejoinder to some strictures appended to a letter of mine, which appeared in its columns on the 15th June. This may be owing in part to the confusion consequent on flitting to Nelson, but is due in greater part, as I think, to the self-respect of the editor, since my facts can only be got rid of by a kind of quibbling for which not one of Her Majesty's subjects has any natural affinity. I learn from *Truth*, as published on June 29, that "Nelson will be an American town on Canadian soil." Is *Truth* about to follow suit and become an American newspaper on Canadian soil? The Lord forbid, or it will soon be defaced, like Washington's constitution, out of all recognition. That constitution was the very purest of pearls, and no less is *Truth*, though both would seem to have been cast — but no, I wish better luck to *Truth*, and will hasten to give you my letter.

A. MAITLAND STENHOUSE.

To the Editor of *Truth*:

SIR,—I do not doubt that you will have fully convinced yourself of the soundness of your commentary on my prophecy, which appeared in your issue of the 15th June. Indeed, it cannot be denied, from your own point of view, that you have done your best to be fair, and I wish I might congratulate you on the result of your efforts. But fallacies can hardly succeed against facts. It is the easiest thing in the world to make assertions like the following: "Every intelligent Mormon knows that there is not one polygamous wife in all Mormondom that is happy in her condition." If that is so, I have yet to meet an "intelligent" Mormon. This finical word "intelligent" appears again in your next sentence, very much in the character of what is known to logicians as a question-begging epithet. You ask: "How many intelligent girls, whose parents are Mormons, willingly wed husbands who practice polygamy? I will answer, Scotswise, by asking another question: How many girls, "intelligent" or otherwise, would marry their cousins-german, if the offspring of such unions were hereditised by law, as is actually recommended in some quarters? The truth is that polygamy is essentially a woman's question and ought to be settled by women. But this is exactly what the United States government will not allow. The denial of woman's rights, amid the boasted freedom of the Republic, is what constitutes the sum and substance of the Mormon grievance. In the affairs of the Church the woman of Utah have no equal voice with the men, and are all-powerful in speech as well as in vote. But the women no longer control the territorial elections. They had the independence or the impudence to vote unanimously for polygamy, and were at length disfranchised for their audacity at the instance of a few noisy fanatics. Then came further oppression in the shape of the Edmunds Bill of 1882, which placed the ban of illegitimacy on all children born in polygamy after the passing of that measure. These are facts which can easily be substantiated, and from which your readers are quite able to draw their own conclusions. As regards the "intelligence" of the Mormons of Utah, it appears from reports of the American census office and bureau of education that a larger percentage of them are able to read and write, than of the whole population of the Union. With all your prejudice against this honest and industrious people, you are candid enough to admit the necessity for marriage reform. You say: "There is no question but that evils exist, for which our present marriage laws are responsible." Is it too much to ask how you would propose to amend these defective laws? My remedy is already known; and I still think the prediction is obvious that if "the Mormon, like the Chinese, must go," monogamy with its foul following of seduction and prostitution will go also, and that very early in the coming century. I remain, &c.,

A. MAITLAND STENHOUSE.

Cardston, via Lethbridge, N.W.T.,
June 24th, 1889.

COUNTY COURT JUDGES.

To the Editor of The Times:

SIR,—Your article anent the commissions for County Court Judgeships in last Saturday's paper shows that the merits of one question, long been strangely overlooked by the local government. I allude to Mr. Benjamin Evans, the genial ruler of the Supreme Court, whose experience in the courts runs back for nearly thirty years, and whose natural capacity renders him especially suited for the position worthy of a county court judge. The most intricate case, such as that famous Chilliwack case which bothered Mr. Justice Crease for so long, might have quickly been decided by Mr. Evans' common sense ability. It is true that Mr. Evans is not a provincial barrister, neither are Mr. Cornwall and Mr. Stephen Wootton. In all three cases, however, if the local government so desire, the benchers will doubtless pass a resolution calling any one of them to the bar. It may be urged that Mr. Evans is not a well-read lawyer, but the question, if he has any, would not suggest that he would be inferior in legal knowledge to some of the nominees.

I remain, &c.,

Hanna House.

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ANOTHER SEIZURE IN THE BEHRING SEA.

It appears that our worst fears are realized with reference to the seizure of Victoria sealing schooners in the Behring sea. The schooner Black Diamond has been seized and is now in possession of the Yankees. The Triumph also suffered a similar misfortune, but as there was no evidence to show that she had been catching seal in the preserves of Uncle Sam, she was permitted to go her way without further molestation. The question is now presented to British Columbians; to whom shall they look for redress? This is a puzzling question. The Dominion government can do nothing, and England won't. Somewhere in the vicinity of Port Simpson is an English fleet presumptively on this coast in the interest of British subjects, but if we may judge of its movements the real purpose is that of picnicing. None would deprecate more than we the employment of gun powder to establish our rights to Behring sea, but surely we have rights or supposed rights in that locality and it is the duty of the British Government to maintain them, at least until the contrary is proved. Has the British government waived its right to Behring sea? We believe not, and until it does waive those rights we cannot understand why we should not be protected the same as British interests would be protected in the English Channel. The fact of the matter is we are to be sacrificed for what is regarded as more important interests. If we must forego an undoubted right in the interests of the whole Empire some compensation should be granted to us as a constituent feature of it. We should be permitted to seek such trade relations with our neighbors as are best adapted for the development of our resources. Our guardians, however, fail to see it in that light. They propose to exercise a supervision over us, not alone in matters of general but local policy as well. Our sealing industry killed and other resources crippled for want of reciprocity, it would appear that the time had arrived for the formulation of a true National Policy, which would give to Canada the right to negotiate her own treaties with foreign countries.

JUDGESHIPS AGAIN.

Since it not infrequently happens that men, however impulsive of temperament and however moderate of attainments, when the recipients of a function which has a life long tenure, and which has attached thereto a comfortable salary, are capable of dispensing impartial justice in such matters as may come within the scope of their duties, we may take heart of the dubious qualifications of the candidates for the county judgeships and reasonable anticipate of the successful applicants for the honorable post, a good record of judicial fairness. It is just possible that men selected to pass judgment on the legal differences which may be brought before them will rise superior to their prejudices and their ignorance and give general satisfaction. The one great thing which encourages us to believe that our future county judges will do their level best, in the effort to square their consciences and their legal knowledge to the exigencies of the judicial function, is that they are not ambitious men. Men who will accept county judgeships before they are 40 years of age are either unambitious, or lazy, or have in their own minds sized themselves up as being too far below mediocrity to ever attain signal prominence at the bar of justice. In a rapidly developing country like this the legal fraternity, hedged in by a wall of protection, the young man who will tie himself up to the post of a county judgeship is singularly unambitious or singularly lazy or singularly cognizant of his inherent fogyishness, or if not any of these, attaches an importance to a Dogberry ship altogether disproportionate to its real value as a feature of the machinery of civilization. Men who would shelve themselves in the heyday of youth in these stirring times are actuated by some one of the reasons we have enumerated, or perhaps by all of them, and in order to prevent themselves from falling into disrepute will attempt to affect that equability of temper and that familiarity with the legal precedents which are inseparable from the judicial function. We do not envy Sir John in the pick he has to make, and it will be surprising if he be tempted to decide the appointment by pulling straws.

THE KAMLOOPS SENTINEL ON ROAD BUILDING.

The individual who has neither the faculty of talking well nor the wit to hold his tongue is in hard luck, and this is about the condition of the Kamloops Sentinel. In respect to the Nelson-Spokane road, we did not recommend that the Spokane parties should be employed by the Government. We mentioned them as being willing to take hold of the matter, and suggested that it would be well enough to permit them to go ahead, provided, of course, their figures were satisfactory. If the government proposes to build the wagon road at all it would be a decided advantage to let the contract to parties who have the money to go ahead, and who could wait until next year before receiving any compensation. We, of course, knew nothing of the figures asked by these Spokane contractors, and if we had, would have been unable to express an opinion, one way or the other, being ignorant of the character of the country through which the road must pass. But the Sentinel gives itself away for pure unalloyed imbecility when it asks: "Did it not occur to THE TIMES that it would be a strange anomaly for Spokane people to build a road which is certain to destroy a trade the Spokane people are now endeavoring to foster?" If the Sentinel was in the contracting business, would it decline to accept a contract to build a wagon road from BARTLETT NEWMAN'S to LEW CAMPBELL'S on the score that Kamloops would be harmed thereby? The Sentinel in furnishing such rot as this simply furnishes a boomerang against itself. The Sentinel has known for the last two years that there should have been communication established with Kootenay via Revelstoke, and yet it has never ventured to demand that the government should take active steps in the matter. In the face of such disloyalty to the interests of Revelstoke as this the Sentinel has had the gall to start a branch government sheet at that place, posing the while as an independent publication. If the Sentinel can hoodwink the people like this it is all right, but it can't hoodwink us, and we shall consider it a religious duty to expose its inconsistencies in its relations to the people and the government.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

That the editorial page may soon disappear altogether, says the Century, is a dreadful possibility; and if it is to be committed to the care of the elegant essayist, writing over his own signature, there will remain no reason for its existence in its present form. The pressure for space in every great daily is severe, and it now requires a stern front to hold the three or four columns sacred for editorial utterances. Give the news editor his opportunity and he will abolish the essayist without a qualm of conscience.

The death of a fireman on the steamship City of Paris from the heat in which he was compelled to work is part of the price it costs to give the ladies and gentlemen in the cabin the pleasure of saying that their ship beat the record by half an hour. The race for speed in ocean steamers has converted their furnace rooms into floating hells. Under forced draft the temperature in the air-tight stokehole often rises above 160. In warships the men are supposed to be subjected to this ordeal for only a few hours at a time, in the stress of battle or chase, but some of the new passenger racers make their entire seven-day voyages under forced draft. And their firemen do not amass fortunes either.

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Successful Candidates and Marks Obtained—Renewals and New Certificates.

The board of examiners have made the following report as the result of the recent examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the public schools of this province.

Of the one hundred and seventeen candidates who presented themselves, one hundred and eight took the papers in this city. In addition, four graduates of British Universities were required to take the paper on Education, thus making, in all, one hundred and twenty-one candidates.

FIRST-CLASS—GRADE A.

Johnston, J. P., 1881, Renewal 1889.
Rossiter, Henry J., B.A., University of Toronto 1885, Renewal 1889.
Gordon, Robert G., Renewal 1889.
Strumberg, Hector M., Dalhousie University, Halifax, 1888.
Paul, Edward B., M.A., University of Aberdeen, Scotland, 1882.
Hunter, Walter B.A., McGill University, Montreal, 1888.
Lundelle, Robert, B.A., Dalhousie University, Halifax, 1888.
Law, Robert, B.A., Victoria College, Cobourg, Ontario, 1888.
Henderson, Thomas, M.A., Queen's University, Dublin, 1889.
McGarrigle, Thomas A., B.A., University of New Brunswick, 1889.
Miller, John J., B.Sc., Dalhousie University, Halifax, 1888.

FIRST-CLASS—GRADE B.		Renewal.
Kaye, James	1880	1888.
Offerhaus, R.	"	"
Murray, Paul	1882	"
Cameron, Miss A. D	1883	"
Horton, Miss Lucretia	"	"
Forrest, Miss C. W	1883-1884	"
Sluggett, G. H	1884	"
Reid, Miss Eleonora	"	"
Phelps, William H	"	"
Jones, David	"	"
Wood, E. S	1885	"
Fraser, Roderick L	"	"
McLennan, John C	"	"
Wood, Wm. M	"	"
Gardiner, Miss Abbie F	"	"
Gilchrist, Alex	"	"
McLeod, John A	"	"
Kinnear, Wm. T	"	"
Bryant, Miss Maria	"	"
Cotham, Wm. C	1886	"
Kerr, Daniel E	"	"
Purdy, Belfor A. H	"	"
Bannerman, Alex. M	"	"
Armstrong, Miss F. E	"	"
Pixton, Robert J	"	"
Offerhaus, Miss Mary A	"	"
McDonald, Donald J	"	"
Cockrill, Geo. M	1887	"
Irwin, Jos	"	"
Sylvester, Miss E. M	"	"
Pope, Miss J. M. M	"	"
Leduc, Thos	"	"
Rogers, Miss Helen	"	"
Nicholson, Thos	"	"
Shaw, John	"	"
Watson, Fred. J	"	"
McRae, Geo. W	"	"
Campbell, Eli J	"	"

	Maximum Marks.	Marks Obt'n'd.
Gaston, James B	550	2005
Tomlinson, Wm	"	2002
Smith, John F	"	1873
Netherby, Stephen B	"	Zone
Dougan, J.	"	2257

SECOND-CLASS—GRADE A.

Harding, Mary L	1150	1102
Hay, Emma	"	2071
McNeill, Angus R	"	2064
Rutherford, Isabella M	"	2016
Victoria, Mary Ellis	"	2016
Williams, Mary	"	1971
Thomson, James W	"	1902

SECOND-CLASS—GRADE B.

McLeod, Jas. B	2250	1374
Tait, Frances E	"	1518
Arrowsmith, Frances	"	1468
Johnston, Robt. D	"	1428
Bryant, Thos	"	1441
Parnell, Miss E.	"	1441
Warner, Bessie	"	1437
Christie, Isabel R	"	1447
Mehin, Jeannette	"	1415
Millard, Blanche	"	1410
McRae, Minnie H	"	1397
McDowell, Martha	"	1391
Galloway, James A	"	1369
Lorimer, Christina T	"	1359
Gillis, John	"	1348
Homer, Margaret F	"	1345
Walker, Annie M	"	1325
Carr, Alice M	"	1320
Gelbriet, Wm. A	"	1307
Withrow, Gertrude H	"	1299
Spours, Janet	"	1293
Knapp, Thos. E	"	1293
McLennan, Joseph McK	"	1281

THIRD-CLASS—GRADE A.

Hopkins, Kate S	1250	1202
Hanna, Richard S	"	1106
King, Sara O	"	1017
Dallas, Margaret S	"	996
McKee, Mrs. Augusta	"	993
McKay, Minnie G	"	964

THIRD-CLASS—GRADE B.

Homer, Mary S	1250	1093
Hopkins, Nicholas S	"	1090
Currie, Elizabeth	"	1078
Nelson, Kate H	"	1041
Ross, Duncan	"	1031
Blair, Wm	"	974
Gowan, Susan M	"	963
Morris, Martha J	"	963
McMillan, Michael	"	947
Procter, Arthur P	"	932
Douglas, Robert J	"	928
Askew, Julia	"	924
Hicks, Annie H	"	921
Newbury, Ella L	"	921
Rockwell, Mary H	"	919
Austin, Mary C	"	917
Ferguson, Louis M	"	907
Ratings, Lena	"	906
Currie, Clara C	"	874
Rutherland, Jos	"	850
Workman, Elizabeth J	"	850
Mobbs, Lucy A	"	824
Ketcheson, Annie	"	824
Currie, Alice E	"	823
Craig, Marjorie L	"	807
Halden, Alice M	"	807
Carmichael, Annie E	"	813
Munro, Annie J	"	800
Magregor, Maggie	"	794
McDonald, Mrs. Annie C	"	794
Allen, Minnie	"	766

RENEWAL CERTIFICATES FOR LENGTH OF SERVICE

Halliday, James A.
Doole, Archibald
Caldwell, Miss L. M.
McDougall, Miss Archena J.
Bailey, Miss Adelaide S.

CERTIFICATES OF STANDING.

Reynard, Marmaduke C.....1870
Stewart, Herbert D. R.....1888
Armstrong, Louie H. B.....1888
McGirr, Wm. J.....1887
Hasey, Mary Pauline.....1888

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29th June, 1889. je29 Barrister-at-Law

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

BETWEEN
JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
AND
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with his said property.

JAMES C. PREVOST.

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SCENE—Myself in an easy chair before an open fire. A girl five years old standing on the right hand side with her arm over the back of the chair, her curls flossing down her shoulders. A boy, three and a half years, on the other side.

The girl—"Papa, tell us a story."

The boy—"Es, tell me a story, papa."

"Well, once on a time a man—"

The boy—"Papa, w'at was 'is name?"

"I don't remember his name; it was a quite a while ago; but he lived in a castle—"

The girl—"What is a castle, papa?"

"A castle is a big stone house, very big, and towers and things on it. This man was a Baron, and he lived in this castle—"

The boy—"What was 'is name, papa?"

"We'll call him Jones or Smith; I tell you I don't remember his name—"

The girl—"Baby, don't be always talking; let papa tell this story."

The boy—"Don't 'ou be always talking."

"Never mind, baby; anything you don't understand, don't be backward in asking questions."

The boy—"W'at was 'is name?"

"I told you his name was Smith. He was a Baron, as I said, and he lived in a castle, and the castle was in the Rhine."

The girl—"What was the Rhine?"

"The Rhine is a river—great, big river."

Girl—"Was the castle right in the water, papa?"

"No, it was on an island."

"Was the island in the water, papa?"

"Why, certainly; all islands are in the water. But the castle was built up on this island, and it was called Pfals Castle."

The boy—"Was there falls there, papa?"

The girl—"Was it Niagara Falls?"

"No, it wasn't Niagara Falls; it was Pfals, P—F—A—L—Z."

The boy—"Papa, I can spell."

The girl—"No, he can't, papa; the only letter he knows is O."

The boy—"I know O and E and F."

The girl—"Now, papa, I'll show you he knows nothing about them. Where's that book?"

[Both make a dash for the book, which is on the floor. The boy flings himself down over the book. The girl, after a struggle, wrenches it from him and returns to her father again. The boy with a wild wail of disappointment flings himself back downwards on the floor and kicks his heels madly in the air.]

"Now, Miss, just put that book back where it was. There, Baby, bring the book to papa."

[The baby, not to be propitiated, flings the book to the corner of the room, while his mother appears at the door and says: "Why, what's the matter?"

"Oh, nothing. We've just been telling a story here, and kind of branched off; at least the children branched off; I've been trying to keep to the subject. Now, children, do you want this story, or don't you?"

The girl—"Oh, yes, papa; tell us the story."

The boy rises slowly and comes somewhat sullenly to his place again.

"Say, papa, I know O and F and E."

The girl attempts to make a dash for the book, then checks herself and comes back and says:

"Baby, now let papa tell the story."

"Well, the name of the castle was Pfals Castle."

The girl—"Did we ever see Niagara Falls, papa?"

"Yes, once; if you want to tell a story I will listen and not interrupt."

The boy—"What is 'trupt, papa?"

"Trupt is what your doing just now."

The boy—"When Laura frew me down?"

The girl—"O, I didn't, papa; he fell down himself."

"The castle was Pfals Castle; and a great Baron, called Smith, lived in this castle. Well, he got lots of grain and corn in this castle."

The girl—"Was he a farmer like grandpapa?"

"No, he raised grain easier than that. If a man didn't give him all the grain he wanted he just took the man's head off."

[Signs of admiration at this summary way of farming.]

"So he got all the grain he wanted in this castle, lots of it, rooms full of it—"

The boy—"Where did he sleep, papa?"

"Oh, he slept in the upper room; he had all the lower rooms too full with grain—wheat, oats and all things like that. And so all the people around there—they had no grain to eat—had nothing to eat at all and there were starving, little boys and little girls, and nothing at all to eat; they were awfully hungry—"

The girl, who has traveled—"Why didn't they go to a hotel, papa?"

"They had no money."

The girl—"Do people need money in a hotel?"

"Well, I should say so."

The girl—"Did you have to pay for us at a hotel?"

"Yes, that's the reason I'm so poor now."

The boy—"Did you have to pay money for me, papa?"

"No, I guess they thought the bother of having you around was enough. But anyhow, there weren't any hotels here where these folks lived. There was nobody to come to hotels. When anybody came around old Smith took their heads off and took all their money—a very rich man Smith was. So one day when the sentry was on the wall—"

The girl—"Papa, what is a sentry?"

"A man that walks up and down the walls and sees if anybody's coming."

The girl—"If anybody came did he take his head off?"

"No, Smith kept a man for that purpose, and so the sentry just told Smith, and Smith told the man, and the man took the heads off."

The boy—"Did he keep the heads in a room?"

"No, he just stuck them up on poles around the walls there for ornament; awful nice castle. He thought a dozen heads were better than one.

"So one day, when this sentry was walking up and down on the walls, what do you think he saw?"

"Both together—"A man?"

"No, sir, RATS; he saw rats swimming all down the river, thousands of rats, hundreds of thousands of rats. Everywhere he looked there were rats."

The girl—"Did he have a trap, papa?"

"No; the whole castle was going to be a trap pretty soon."

The girl—"Did he get the rats in the castle?"

"No, the rats got Smith."

The boy—"Did they put him in the trap, papa?"

"No; there wasn't enough left of him to put in a trap when they got through with Smith. They just climbed over the walls, ate up the sentry, ate up Smith and ate up the man that took the heads off."

The girl—"I like Cinderella better than this story."

The boy—"Oh, papa, tell us Cinderella."

"Now, see here, who's telling this story? I have told you Cinderella about one hundred times. When you subscribe for this paper you've got to take the stories as they appear in it. I'm not going to change the story around to suit the caprice of the subscribers, more especially when they don't pay their subscriptions in advance."

The girl—"Well, papa, what did the rats do?"

"O, I'm not going to tell this story now. To be continued in our next. I'm not going to tell a story and have it criticised like this the moment I get into the most interesting part."

Both—"O, papa, what did the rats do?"

"I told you once what they did. Oh, if you only knew the end of this story you'd be astonished; but no, I won't tell it."

The girl—"Does mamma know this story?"

"No, she doesn't; I've got a monopoly on this story."

The girl slips her arm around the back of the chair, gets her cheek up close to mine, and puts the other hand around until it meets the first, and says softly:

"Please, papa, tell us about the rats?"

"Well, the rats ate up all the grain."

The girl—"How did they get in the room, papa? Wasn't the door locked?"

"Oh, now see here; you promised not to speak until I got through. This story's finished again; won't say another word of it."

The boy—"Wasn't there a giant in the castle, papa?"

"Oh, if you want any more information about this you'll have to advertise for it; this paper has suspended publication."

The girl—"Well, if baby keeps quiet I won't speak another single word."

"Well, the rats went through that castle, up stairs, down stairs—"

The boy—"And in my lady's chamber?"

The girl—"Now, baby, why don't you keep quiet? Papa won't tell this story if you keep talking all the time. Papa, make baby keep quiet."

The boy—"You're talking mor'n me."

The girl—"No, I ain't."

The boy—"'es 'ou are."

The girl—No, I ain't."

"I think if you know what the rats were going to do next you wouldn't talk so much."

Both—"Oh, what did they do?"

"Well, they ate up old Smith."

The girl—"Twice!"

"No, I just wanted you to know that the Baron and the rats did'nt agree. I suppose the Baron didn't agree with the rats, for most of them died next day, and then the people got at the grain."

The girl—"Did the little girls get anything to eat?"

The boy—"And the boys?"

"Oh, they got all they wanted then."

The girl—"Wasn't they afraid of the rats?"

"No, the rats were all gone up."

"Gone up where, papa?"

"Well, I meant the rats were all dead."

The girl—"What killed them, papa?"

"Oh, indigestion; they ate too much."

The mother—"Children, supper's ready."

"There now, off you go; clear out, remember the fate of the rats."—*Luke Sharp, in Detroit Free Press.*

Rest in a Rocker.

In his book on "Jonathan and His Continent," Max O'Rell describes how Americans enjoy themselves at the winter resorts in the south. He tells somewhat derisively of how they get up and breakfast and then sit on rocking chairs on the piazzas and wait for lunch time—then to rocking chairs again, where they wait for dinner—after dinner rocking chairs again until bedtime. This is a good deal the style of it in the southern resorts, but the rather dull Frenchman seems to think they would be better engaged in picnics and excursions, and fishing or going afloat, but if he had known Americans better, he would know that to many a rocking chair, on a piazza with the pleasures of fresh air, warm sunshine, peaceful quiet and books and papers is picnic enough; that to go helter-skeltering over the country in pursuit of pleasure and excitement is not the American idea of rest.

After the whirl and excitement and maddling crowd of city life, nothing for a time is more restfully blissful under southern suns than a rocking chair on a piazza, where the gay and giddy world can be seen passing as in a panorama before those who find in the sky and air and breeze and balm of flowers the rest they crave and love. The French idea of a holiday may be to be forever "on the go," or gad—rushing hither and thither—but to the health seeker, the tired man of business or the run down housekeeper, a piazza and a rocking chair and something to read have charms beyond expression. It may not be a French fashion, or an English, but you know, but I believe that Americans enjoy the liberty of doing as they please and of spending their holidays in most striking contrast to their rush of business.—Aiken (S. C.) Cor. Pittsburg Dispatch.

A Snake in Court.

If there is any one in the world who can beat a backwoods member of the legislature eating roasted ground-peas that person is the average superior court bailiff. Now, there is a bailiff in Albany who is no exception to this rule. One of his friends knew this and he set a trap for the bailiff. The friend fixed up a small paper bag with a few peanuts and a small dead snake in it. He walked into the court room, eating away on some ground peas that he had in his hand; the bailiff, like a warhorse scenting battle, caught one whiff of them. It was too much for him; he couldn't stand it; so, getting up from his seat, he walked rapidly by his friend, jerking the bag, snake and all, out of his hand. With a chuckle of delight, off went the officer to a corner of the court room. He turned up the bag to pour the coveted goobers into his hand, when, horrors! out came the snake. The man just gave one look at his hand—the snake seemed to move—and, with the single exclamation of "Oh, my God!" the peanuts were scattered broadcast over the floor, and now Jim Greer swears that he will never eat another ground pea in court as long as he lives.—Albany (Ga.) News.

Malleable Glass.

Nerl, whose book on glass was published at Florence in 1612, says: "In the time of Tiberius was invented a way of making glass malleable, a thing afterward lost and to this day wholly unknown, for if such a thing were now known without doubt it would be more esteemed for its beauty and incorruptibility than silver or gold, since from glass there arises neither smut or stain, nor any other quality." But though unknown to the old Italian, the art was practiced in Persia, if we may believe Bailey, who says that in 1571 Sophi, emperor of Persia, sent to King Philip III. of Spain, six glasses that were malleable and would not break by being hammered; and Blancourt tells that an inventor having presented a bust of malleable glass to Richelieu, 1630, was rewarded for his ingenuity by perpetual imprisonment, lest the vested interests of French glass workers should be injured by the new invention.—New York Telegram.

Wouldn't If He Could.

I have been what is known as a "baseball crank" for over six years, and I have been asked hundreds of times why I don't "shake it off." Every afternoon I can spare I spend at a professional ball game, to say nothing of several afternoons, which I cannot really spare. There are at least 100 of us in St. Louis, and we always get to games on time, so as to secure seats in what is called the cranks' corner. Not one of us can play ball, but some of us think we could make better umpires than the average official. I have over five hundred score cards in a scrap book, and keep on adding to the collection. You can call this nonsense or anything else you like, but at the beginning of every season the old fever breaks out again, and there is no antidote to subdue it. And even if there was not one cell of a doctor would take it.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend 60 days after date to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 1,280 acres of land in the Cariboo district known as the Stanislaus Landing near Alexandria, between the 124 and 125 mile posts on the left bank of Fraser River commencing at a stake marked A, 125 yards below the mouth of creek at steep of summer Victoria, where she now lies and 40 yards east and running thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to place of commencement.

ROBT. McLEESE.

Steamboat Landing, near Alexandria, 28th June, 1889. jy4-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land more or less, situated on Valdez Island, Sayward District, described as follows: Commencing at a stake placed at West Entrance Point, Hesquiat Harbor, west coast Vancouver Island, thence running one mile in a northerly direction along beach to stake No. 2, thence westerly one mile to stake No. 3, thence southerly one mile to stake No. 4, thence easterly one mile to point of commencement.

J. MAHER & CO.

Hesquiat, March 7th, 1889. jel7

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Savary Island, Straits of Georgia, containing about 640 acres, more or less.

ALBERT VIDLER.

June 6th, 1889. jy6-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the following described lands:

Tract No. 1.—Commencing about two miles east of Granite Point, Valdez Island, on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running south 100 chains; east 100 chains; south 100 chains; east 160 chains to a bay on unsurveyed channel; thence north 100 chains along the shore line; thence west along the shore line 320 chains to place of commencement.

Tract No. 2.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel about two miles east of Discovery Passage; thence running 60 chains west; 100 chains north; 100 chains east; 100 chains south to the shore; 40 chains along shore to place of commencement.

Tract No. 3.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel running 60 chains north; west 80 chains; south 80 chains; east along shore 60 chains to point of commencement.

Tract No. 4.—Commencing on a bay running 20 chains north; east 20 chains; north 80 chains; east 40 chains; south 80 chains to the shore line; north-westerly along the shore to point of commencement.

Tract No. 5.—On a bay on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running 20 chains south; 20 chains east; 40 chains south; 40 chains east; north 60 chains to the shore line; west along the shore line to point of commencement.

VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFACTURING CO.

Victoria, June 14th, 1889. jel1-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following islands situated on the north side of Lasqueti Island, Gulf of Georgia:

Two small islands to the North of Section 28 on Lasqueti Island, containing 50 acres, more or less.

One small island to the north of Section 21, containing 30 acres, more or less.

Two small islands in Tucker Bay, containing 10 acres, more or less.

MORRIS MOSS.

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"Land Registry Act."

BLOCK 7, WORK ESTATE, LOT No. 497, W ½ of Lot No. 498, parts of Lots 499, and also Lot 500, Victoria City. And the W ½ of the W ½ of Suburban Lot No 52, Esquimalt District.

Certificates of indefeasible title to the above hereditaments will be issued to Roderick Finlayson, on the 28th day of September, 1889, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by any person claiming an estate or interest in said hereditaments or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT.

Land Registry Office, Registrar-General

27th June, 1889. je25-3m

JAMES FLETT.

Assignment for Benefit of Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL creditors and persons having claims against James Flett, general merchant, of Quamens, V. I., are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of September, 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Flett among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts and claims of those of which they shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts and claims they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1889.

THORNTON FELL,

Solicitor for the Trustees Simon Leiser and James Fell, Victoria. jy18-1m

NOTICE.

BY AN ORDER MADE on the 16th July, 1889, in an action in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in which Jean Baptiste Brule is Plaintiff and Edward Mainwaring Johnson and Joseph Poirier are Defendants, the said Joseph Poirier and his agents are restrained from selling or disposing of the sheep, cattle, pigs, and live and dead farming stock, or any part thereof, now in his possession, or near the farm in Rooks District, formerly occupied by the Plaintiff, until the trial of the action, or until further order.

Dated 18th July, 1889.

J. ROLAND HETT.

jy18-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT DAVID Sim having been discharged from his employment as manager of the nursery grounds of the undersigned in this city, he is no longer authorized to receive moneys or otherwise to transact the business thereof, and all persons indebted to the undersigned in respect of the business of the said nursery grounds and greenhouses are notified to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned only.

JAY & CO.

Victoria, 17th July, 1889. jy17-2w

FOR SALE.

A VERY DESIRABLE FARM of 200 acres in Cowichan District, 2½ miles from E. & N. R.R. Forty acres in cultivation. Orchard of upwards of 50 bearing fruit trees. Good garden well stocked with small fruits. Twenty head of cattle, team, wagon, harness, etc. Address "Z." The Times, Victoria.

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PRIVATE SALE.

I AM INSTRUCTED BY MR. PETER JAMIEson to sell by private sale, his restaurant, the Poodle Dog, at Nanaimo. Satisfactory reasons will be given for disposing of this paying business. For further particulars apply to

W. H. CLARKE,

jel6 Auctioneer.

TORONTO

INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION '89

SEPTEMBER 9TH TO 21ST.

THE TIME IS DRAWING CLOSE AT HAND for intending exhibitors to prepare whatever they may have for exhibition; they are therefore requested to forward the same without delay, addressed

"B.C. Exhibit, City Hall, Vancouver."

D. OPPENHEIMER, Mayor, President.

WM. HEITZ, Secretary.

Provincial Exhibition Association of B. C.

P. O. Box 500. jy24

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, 6th September next, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, fortnightly in summer, monthly in winter, each way between Hanceville and Soda Creek, from the 1st October next. The conveyance to be made on horseback or in a vehicle, at the option of the contractor.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Chilcotin and Soda Creek, at Mr. O. T. Harlow's, and at this office.

E. H. FLETCHER,

P. O. Inspection.

Post Office Inspector's office, Victoria, B. C., 20th July, 1889. jy25-3t-w

CHAS. HAYWARD,

UNDERTAKER AND EMBALMER,

Broughton St., Victoria.

The Canadian Pacific Land and Mortgage Company, Limited, (Foreign).

Registered the 10th day of July, 1889.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS day registered "The Canadian Pacific Land and Mortgage Company, Limited, (Foreign)," under the "Companies' Act," Part IV., Registration of Foreign Companies.

The objects for which the Company is established are:

1. To purchase, take under any concession, lease, or in exchange, hire or otherwise acquire, settle, improve, farm and cultivate lands of any tenure, franchises and hereditaments situate in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of North America, or elsewhere, including any mines, minerals, ships, steamboats, barges, and other vessels, engines, railway wagons, tanks, reservoirs, manufacturing plant, apparatus and stock in trade, and any other real and personal property of whatever description, whether the same be unencumbered or subject to any mortgage, charge, lien, easements, privileges, licenses, concessions or otherwise, and to develop the resources of any such properties by building any kind of structure thereupon, planting, reclaiming, clearing, mining, quarrying, excavating, damming, draining, farming, and otherwise dealing with and working the same, and to stock lands and farms, and to breed, grow and deal in all kinds of stock, cattle, horses, sheep and produce, and to erect and maintain thereon suitable buildings and structures, including slaughtering, refrigerating, and converting establishments.

2. To invest money by way of advance, or loan at interest to any person or persons, or corporation, upon the security of any property and securities whatever, real or personal, including produce, crops and manufactures, government and all other stocks, bonds, mortgages, or securities, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and generally to buy, manufacture, deal in and sell all kinds of goods, chattels, merchandise, produce and effects.

3. To aid, encourage and promote immigration, emigration and colonization, and for such purposes to lend and grant any sums of money, and to act as agents therefor.

4. To work, win, convert, sell, use or otherwise deal with all or any mineral property of the Company, to construct or acquire, take concessions of purchase or lease, hire, maintain, improve, work and use, or aid in, or subscribe towards the construction, maintenance, improvement and working of roads, ways, streets, tramways, wire tramways, electric or other power, telegraph and telephone lines and works, or other means of communication or appliances of a similar nature, railways, railway stock, locomotives, engines, docks, piers, harbors, quays, wharves, landing stages, jetties, slips, stores, bridges, canals, channels, wells, buoys, lights and beacons, viaducts, aqueducts, water works, flumes, culverts, ditches, warehouses, factories, shops, churches, chapels, schools, libraries, institutes, inns, foundries, brick kilns, reduction works, gas and water works, electric lighting or power works, boats, mills, undertakings, works and other buildings and structures, of every description, and for the above purposes to enter into and carry into effect any contracts, and apply for, accept, and carry into effect such concessions, licenses or authorities as may be deemed necessary or advisable.

5. To acquire running powers, rights or easements over and to make arrangements with any companies or persons for the joint working of any railway, tramway, or line of electric wire, or other similar means of communication.

6. To build, purchase, charter, hire or otherwise acquire, maintain, repair and use steam and other ships and vessels, and to carry on the business of ship owners, lightermen, wharfingers, dock owners, warehousemen, ship chandlers, commission and shipping agents, and to levy cranage, anchorage, lighterage and other dues and tolls, either in connection with the other businesses of the Company, or as an independent source of profit.

7. To transact all manner of agency and commission business, and in particular to act as agents for any persons or corporation in the purchase, sale, or management in any way of lands, hereditaments and other property in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of North America, or elsewhere, where the Company may for the time then being be carrying on business, and to carry on the business of general, commercial, mercantile, shipping or forwarding agents, or agents for any railway, steamship, or other company.

8. To accept and hold any property whatsoever upon any trust whatever, and to make advances against the same, and to issue debentures there against, and to act as trustees, attorneys or agents of or for any persons, living or dead, or of any company, corporation, public body or supreme government, and also

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream at Biella's.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's 111 Government street.

—Table cutlery, in steel and silver plate, at McLennan & McFeely's

—Stylish suits to order, good value, at A. Gregg & Son's, 42 Yates street.

—Mr. John Cameron received nine horses from Oregon a few days ago.

—Largest stock of house furnishing goods in the province at John Weiler's.

—Just arrived—Choice new trouserings at A. Gregg & Son's, 42 Yates St.

—Fruit jars and jelly glasses in any quantity, all sizes, at John Weiler's.

—Four car loads of water pipes for the corporation arrived from the east last night.

—The Corona arrived from Alaska at 9:30 this morning and left later on for the Sound.

—Our terms and prices for Pianos and Organs are very reasonable. M. W. Waitt & Co.

—Light-weight overcoats, very cheap for thirty days, at A. Gregg & Son's, 42 Yates street.

—Ice cream delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery. Telephone call 161.

—If you have anything to dispose of take it to Brown & Myers, auctioneers, 64 Yates street. jy23-m

—The best place to secure a good suit to order, is at Campbell & Simpkins', 88 Government street.

—For the latest American designs in Upholstery. Try Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Sideboards that have no equal in design and price at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Don't forget to attend the sale Saturday night, at Brown & Myers' Auction room, 64 Yates street.

—The Yosemite was delayed three hours yesterday, caused by taking on freight at Vancouver.

—The finest assortment of Bedroom sets for the least money at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—A German bark with 1200 tons of Welsh coal for the naval yard, Esquimalt, is now 135 days out from Cardiff.

—The steamer Isabel takes up to Comox this week 200 plates of sheet iron to be used in the construction of new flat cars.

—Two handsome new residences, on Yates street near Quadra, the property of W. P. Sayward, are approaching completion.

—Seven hundred sacks of flour were left behind yesterday by the Yosemite, she being filled. It will arrive on the next trip.

—The Islander, owing to being thoroughly cleaned, will not leave for Vancouver until Wednesday morning at the usual hour.

—Two fine building lots on Toronto street, James Bay, for sale cheap. Apply at Blanchard's drug store, 115 Government street. 4tf

—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's earnings for the week ending July 21 were $320,000, for the same week last year, $262,000.

—The Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Co. have just received their first new machinery, which consists of one lathe, one planer and one drill press, from Massachusetts.

—The train from Wellington on Saturday night struck a cow on the track, throwing it some distance and breaking its neck and legs.

—If you are leaving town, or you are giving up house-keeping, take your furniture to Brown & Myers' Auction Room, 64 Yates street, to sell. jy23-1m

—Visitors before leaving for home should have their photos taken at Hall & Lowe's, Government street, where they are sure to get the best.

—The summer night festival held at the Caledonian grounds on Saturday night last was fairly well attended. The music is worthy of special mention.

—There was no music at the Park yesterday. The members of the band believe in receiving money for their services and none being forthcoming they quit.

—The "Twelve Temptations" Company arrived from Vancouver last night and took this morning's steamer for Seattle. They only did a fair business in the terminal town.

—A water pipe on Store street, where the sewer trench is being dug, broke yesterday, throwing in a quantity of earth as a consequence and flooding the trench to a certain extent.

—The Canadian Medical Association, which is to hold its annual meeting at Banff this year, will arrive in the city about the middle of August, so it is expected.

—Just arrived at Hastie & Lockhart's a large consignment of the very latest designs in Linoleums, Carpets and Mattings. Call before purchasing elsewhere. 62 Government street.

—Preliminary work on the Earle-McLeod railroad contract on Puget Sound is about completed, and clearing of the right of way will begin to-morrow. Grading will follow as soon thereafter as possible.

—Frank L. Bangs and George Burns, of Seattle, arrived in Nanaimo on Saturday for the purpose of establishing their ownership of the nameless sloop, loaded with whisky, that was discovered by Indians in a semi-submerged condition and brought to port. They have engaged counsel in their behalf.

—The steamer Louis Olsen is at Port Townsend having an American boiler put in. She and the Lucy were built in Port Townsend but came to this province to have boilers put in. When they returned the inspector of steam vessels refused to give them papers, and they have been using sail since. The owners have concluded to comply with the American law, and are putting in boilers of American make.

—Two members of the Nebraska press excursion left Portland with other recollections of the excursion than those of a pleasant jaunt through the country. J. C. Wester, of the Alliance *Argus*, lost a diamond pin valued at $400 on his return to Portland from The Dalles. And Louis Wessel, Jr., chairman of the excursion, parted company with a $60 diamond solitaire on the train from Tacoma to Portland.

A CORRESPONDENT DROWNED.

Sad Accident Near Kodiak Island, Alaska—Body Not Recovered.

Julius Portel, a young man belonging to San Jose, California, was drowned at Kodiak Island on the 22nd June. The deceased was a sealer on the schooner Triumph and was sent to the Behring sea by the San Francisco *Examiner*. He took a photograph outfit on the voyage and was preparing an account of the sealing industry for publication. On the day of his death young Portel, with two companions, went hunting in Lazy Man's Bay. They were in a sail boat which was struck by a sudden gust of wind and turned bottom up. The men were on the bottom of the boat for three hours and it is presumed that Portel either succumbed to the cold or dived after his gun which was at the bottom of the bay in eight feet of water. The other men were rescued by a boat from the Triumph. On the 22nd and 23rd the crew grappled for the body without success. The young man leaves a father and mother in San Jose.

Cutlery.

M. & H. A. Fox have just received direct from Sheffield a large stock of table and pocket cutlery, scissors, etc. Shaving outfits a specialty. Call and assure at 78 Government street.

The Pianoforte

Miss Laura M. Adams, teacher of pianoforte, 34 Cadboro Bay road.

The University Question.

A largely attended meeting, at which Major Grant presided, was in progress at the City Hall as we went to press. A number of speeches were made and a plan for future action was discussed.

Local Strike.

A number of white men engaged in loading the Sardonyx with coal at Esquimalt struck this morning for an advance of wages. This was not acceded to and their places were filled with 60 sailors from H. M. S. Champion.

The Fleet.

On Wednesday last the Swiftsure, Icarus and Amphion were at Juneau City, Alaska. They left on Thursday for Port Simpson, where the Champion will be met with the mails. The weather was fine and the trip in northern waters was enjoyed by Admiral Heneage, his officers and men.

The Ferguson Safe.

The bark Janet Ferguson, which sailed from here July 20th for Portland, and which was reported ashore a few days ago near Astoria, has arrived at that port all right. The vessel was not on her beam ends or in serious trouble at any time, as stated in the dispatch of last Thursday.

Tramway Note.

Messrs. Snyder and Lee, who have the contract for furnishing ties for the Electric Tramway Co., will commence getting them out in a few days. The ties will be each seven feet long, and 250,000 feet of lumber will be used in filling the order. They will be of pine, cut from the forest in the vicinity of Goldstream.

For the South.

The City of Puebla sailed for San Francisco yesterday, with the following passengers from this port: Mr. McKellar, Mrs. McKellar and family of six, F. H. Core, S. H. Boardman, Gen. Ingalls, Mrs. W. H. Smith, S. B. Blake, Napier Hibben, F. S. Timberlake, J. H. Surr, Mrs. Kate Miller, F. Otter, wife and son, J. L. Baird, Rev. M. S. Levy.

Liquor Forbid.

Mr. James Dunsmuir, president of the Union colliery, has given orders to the purser of the steamer Isabel not to convey any more intoxicating liquor of any kind to the mines. A consignment of about thirty kegs which were sent to the colliery on the last trip of the Isabel, were returned in consequence of the mandate.

He Returns.

Carlton Rickards, Chinese interpreter of the Custom House, San Francisco, who was carried off on the City of Puebla on her last trip to this port, returned on the same steamer sailing yesterday. Immediately on arriving here he telegraphed the facts of the case to the customs authorities of San Francisco, who readily forgave him the ludicrous mistake.

The Triumph and the Whale.

Two sealers belonging to the sealing schooner Triumph had a tussle with a whale in the northern seas a few weeks ago. The whale was blowing near their boat and disappeared from sight. In a few minutes the monster of the deep reappeared again beneath the boat occupied by the sealers, tossing the[m] whole out into the air. The craft turned clean over and the men took a seat on the keel until they were rescued by another boat from the schooner.

The Coming Fete.

The Foresters of Vancouver and New Westminster are combining their forces for an attack on Victoria on Saturday next. They are unarmed, however, but the fact that they mean business is proven by a telegram received by the secretary to engage hotel accommodation for the brethern while in this city. There will be quite a number of visitors intent on enjoying themselves. One of the attractions on the grounds will be a celebrated clown who has been engaged to participate in the sports.

Leprosy Considered.

At the annual meeting of the Epidemiological Society the subject of leprosy was considered, with a tendency to the conclusion that it is increasing. Mayor Pringle, who read a paper on the increase of leprosy in India, was of the opinion that unless some stringent means were taken it would spread to Great Britain and all countries that deal with India. The increase in that country was set at from 7000 to 9000 lepers every year; and it is said there are no less than twenty cases in England at the present time.

Naval.

Four hundred tons of Welsh coal is being taken on board the Sardonyx for Fort Simpson, at which point it will be discharged for the use of Her Majesty's fleet.

The Champion did not leave for the north to-day as anticipated, on account of a number of sailors being engaged on the Sardonyx. She will not leave for a day or so.

Lieut. Samson arrived from England last night, and will leave on the Champion to join H. M. S. Swiftsure, to which vessel he has been promoted commander, vice Percy Hockin, deceased. Lieut. Samson was formerly on the Caroline.

Obituary.

John Parker expired yesterday at the residence of Jas. Ure, this city, at the advanced age of 87 years. Deceased was the father of Mr. John Parker, butcher of this city, and a native of Kent, England, and had resided in this province for many years. He leaves eighty descendants.

Mrs. Mary Estes expired this morning at 7 o'clock at her home, Johnson street, from consumption. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. Coonees, of this city, a native of Philadelphia, and 42 years of age. A husband and family are left to mourn her demise.

Narrow Escape.

The alarm of fire at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon was caused by a spark from a chimney falling on a wooden roof in the block occupied by Chinese on the west side of Government street, between Cormorant and Fisgard streets. Chief Engineer Deasy was in the locality when the fire was discovered, and formed a bucket brigade of Chinese. They swarmed on the roof like bees and tore off the shingles with axes and shovels. The firemen were out promptly after the alarm was turned in, but, fortunately, their services were not required. The locality is a dangerous one and at one time two of the buildings were in a blaze.

The Late Andrew Welch.

A San Francisco paper says: "Andrew Welch, who died in Portland last Thursday morning, was a well known business man of San Francisco, having been one of the foremost commercial men for over twenty years. He came to this coast from Scotland in 1855, and after a short sojourn in British Columbia came to San Francisco and entered the commercial world. For the past twenty years he has carried on a commission business and was interested to a great extent in the production of sugar-cane and the manufacture of sugar. He has held the position of president of the American Sugar Refinery, having resigned but a short while ago. At the time of his death he was a director of that establishment. On arriving in Portland on Thursday Mr. Welch took a room at the Esmond, intending to continue his journey the next day, but he was taken ill on that evening and kept constantly growing worse until death relieved him. The deceased had been suffering from a complication of stomach troubles for about six months. These, with overwork, caused his death."

Schiedmayer & Soehne Pianos.

We have just received a consignment of the above pianos direct from the factory. These are the best instruments made in Germany, and are without doubt the best German pianos ever imported into this country. M. W. Waitt & Co.

A SEALER SEIZED.

Return of the Schooner Triumph—The "Black Diamond" Seized.

On Sunday afternoon the sealing schooner Triumph, Capt. Daniel McLean, anchored in James Bay, near Jones boat house. The well-known skipper was interviewed by a TIMES representative this morning. The following particulars of the capture of the sealing schooner Black Diamond, and the boarding of the Triumph by officers and men belonging to the revenue cutter Richard Rush, were given. The schooner Triumph cleared from Victoria early in May last on a sealing voyage in the Pacific ocean and Behring Sea. Entered Behring Sea on July 3rd and sighted the American revenue cutter Richard Rush at 7 o'clock p. m. on the 11th. The Triumph was sailing along over sixty miles from land with a four knot breeze. The Rush steamed in the wake of the Triumph and overtook the schooner at 8 o'clock. A boat was lowered from the revenue cutter and was manned by four officers with six seamen. They boarded the Triumph and informed Capt. McLean that his vessel was seized for illegal sealing in the Behring Sea. The boarding party was in charge of First Lieutenant Tuttle. A systematic search was made, but they could not discover any sealskins on the vessel. The clearance from Victoria was examined and the vessel was released. The officers and crew returned to the Rush, and the vessels separated. Lieut. Tuttle informed Captain McLean that the schooner Black Diamond, owned by Messrs. Gutman & Frank of this city, was seized in the Behring sea at 4 o'clock on July 11th, three hours before the Triumph was sighted. The Black Diamond had 104 sealskins on board when she was searched by the officers of the Rush. An officer and crew were placed in charge of the schooner and the vessel was sent to Onalaska. The Black Diamond was on the high seas when the seizure was made. The sealing schooner Mary Ellen, Capt. Alex. McLean, was spoken on June 6th. The captain reported all well on board and a catch of 387 skins. In the conversation with Lieutenant Tuttle the officer stated that the revenue cutter intended to capture every schooner found illegally sealing in the Behring sea. The captain of the Triumph considered that his vessel was too valuable to become a subject of discussion between the governments of Canada and the United States, and he set sail for Victoria at once. The news of the capture of another sealing vessel on the high seas will cause a great deal of uneasiness among owners of sealing schooners in this city.

FROM KOOTENAY.

Hot Springs Mining Camp—New Quartz Mill—Claims Sold, Etc.

This will be quite a town in the course of a short time. The Cottonwood Gold Mining Company is running two Huntington mills night and day, and the manager, M. T. Davys, Esq., M. E., says he is well pleased with the result so far. The management now talk of putting up a 100-stamp mill in the near future. This mine is about six miles south of Nelson, high up on the side hill on the left bank of Cottonwood creek, to which the company have built an excellent trail.

On Eagle Creek, the claims originally located by Neil & McDougal, and now held under a bond by A. L. Davenport, are being vigorously worked. The strike of the ledge is about S. 40 deg. E. Magnetic, and the dip 40 deg. to the east. A tunnel 130 feet has been run to the ledge, 65 feet lower than the outcrop. Levels are now being run on the ledge, and a slope opened from the outcrop to the end of the tunnel. The ledge averages about two feet, and so far contains a large proportion of free milling ore, and a quantity of sulphurets. A ten-stamp mill has been ordered, and the mill is in course of erection. A gang of men are at work making a wagon road from Kootenay river to the mill site three miles in length. The owners expect to have the mill in running order in a few weeks.

The White claim has struck an equally good ledge, about 1000 feet further to the eastward, in the the same slope but 200 feet higher up the mountain. G. B. Wright has thrown up his bond on the "Tough Nut Claim." Sandy Morrow yesterday sold out his half interest in the claim to a brother of Dr. Hendryx for $5,350. It is probable this valuable property will now be developed rapidly. Mr. Clements, an expert, has visited and reported unfavorably on the No. 1 mine at the Hot Springs. Dr. Dawson, before leaving this neighborhood, expressed a very favorable opinion on the Hot Springs camp, and also on the mines near Nelson.

The Canadian mail service is a miserable failure. It is understood that Mr. Inspector Fletcher has arranged a fortnightly service to continue as long as the steamers run on the Columbia. This is simply little better than no service at all. Dr. Hendryx' steamer, fortunately for the people here, calls twice a week and brings in any mail that may be at the Fry P. O., Bonner's Ferry, free of charge.

The weather is very warm and fine. No mosquitos, and the best fly fishing in the world, close at one's door. The trail from Sproat's Landing to Nelson is in first rate order. It is probably the best trail in Kootenay district. F.

INTERIOR NEWS.

Personal—Death—Accident—Narrow Escape—New Road.

From the Inland Sentinel.

L. Vankoughnet, deputy superintendent general of Indian affairs, was in town this week.

E. G. Prior, Victoria, passed through Kamloops this week on his way to Okanagan and Mission Valley.

On the up trip last week of the steamer Marion to Revelstoke, a man from the Kootenay district who was on his way up for treatment for mountain fever, died before reaching port. The remains were interred at Revelstoke.

An accident of rather a serious nature occurred at Donald on Saturday morning last to a little boy, son of Peter Hooley, boiler maker at the C. P. R. shops. He was playing on the track when a push-car came along and knocked the little fellow down and ran over him, mutilating his arm very badly. He was at once conveyed to the hospital and attended to by Dr. Richardson and by this time he is progressing favorably. His family only recently arrived here.

On the night of Monday, July 15, a ball fired from a rifle passed through the window of Major J. G. Norris, at Kootenay, piercing the partition his bed was placed by and in which he was sleeping at the time. The bullet must have passed, judging by the marks, within four inches of where his head rested on the pillow. Few will believe the shot was fired with the purpose of taking Major Norris' life, for he is a favorite with all in Kootenay, but the marks of the ball leave no doubt that he who pulled the trigger intended taking his life.

Mr. Stevenson, road supervisor, is at present engaged in opening up a wagon road from somewhere in the vicinity of Pearce's ranch, about 7 miles east of Kamloops on the South Thompson, to connect with the Nicola wagon road at Newman's hill.

Messrs. Stewart, surveyors, etc., have returned from their trip over the proposed line of railway from Crow's Nest Pass to Hope. Very little information can be gleaned regarding the impression held as to the feasibility or practicability of the line. They have completed their labors in the district between Nicola and Hope, and leave for the Kootenay district at once to take up the work where they left off a few weeks ago. Their pack horses and supplies are at Windermere, to which point they now go. The general impression is that the proposed line will be impracticable, owing to the heavy grades near to and west of the Columbia river, as well as the almost insurmountable grade over Hope mountain. But this statement is not made by the Messrs. Stewart, who are extremely reticent on the subject.

WHAT IS HYPOCRISY!

To the Editor of The Times.

Sir,—The provincial secretary in that speech of his to the teachers prated about morality; yet the teachers the next day read the false statements which were taken from a letter that had appeared in print over his own signature. He also prated about Sabbath desecration, in going out in a boat; yet he has permitted the teachers to get the first results of the recent examination in the Sunday papers. There can be no excuse for this, as there is a government printing press and a government printer. Surely the provincial secretary might easily have caused these returns to be printed and distributed to the teachers on Saturday afternoon or evening, rather than have Sabbath desecration. He also prated about somebody weeding out, not the sealey teachers (as he put it), but the least desirable ones. Would you not advise the people to take the hint and commence by weeding out the head of the education department, that is, the provincial secretary himself?

J. N. Muir.

A Boston Story.

This story comes from Boston: A lady opposed to corporal punishment visited a school, not in a fashionable part of the city, just as a boy was being flogged. Before going away she spoke to the culprit and asked him to come and see her on a certain evening, promising to make it pleasant for him. At the appointed hour a boy, dressed in his best, came, and for an hour and more the lady and her daughter laid themselves out to amuse him. Then the lady began to talk of the importance of good behaviour and obedience to rules, when the boy interrupted her: "Oh, I ain't that feller! He gimme 10 cents to come iustider him."

A most daring attack upon the ancient customs of the House of Commons was made during a sitting recently. It is a time honored rule that no wearer of petticoats shall ever set foot upon the floor of the House, and when a pretty young woman ventured within the sacred confines, unobserved by the doorkeeper, there was a genuine panic. One would have thought that the liberties of the country were in danger, such a hubbub was created. The daring woman fled before the crowd of frightened attendants could reach her. It is almost unnecessary to add that she was an American.

Valvoline.

Spratt & Gray, sole agents for this celebrated cylinder and machine oil. A supply constantly kept on hand.

DIED.

In this city, on the 28th instant, John Parker, senr., a native of Farnham, Kent, England, in the 87th year of his age.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) at 2 o'clock, from the residence of Mr. Jas. Ure, on Alfred street. Friends are invited to attend.

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—J B Derieches and wife, R Reford, C Russell, W T Livock, D Cartmel, Mrs Fox, W McGuire, F Tood, J W McFarland, Miss Calder, H Collins, C Cartmel, W Walker, J H Maidman, J M Holland, J Buxton, H E Pistel, Miss L Horton, H S Byron, R Kee, H H Beaulieu, P Bengough, F Rice, C R Fisher, K Jessie, P A Rix, J H Pails, H Benner and wife, J Herman, Mary Peterson, N Farbery, S McLeod, A J McDougall, W Herbrune and wife, M Dyer, W Gorman, B T Beardall, J S Wilson, C Hommer, T W Leslie, W Bell, W McCabe, W N Albert, H S Lacy, G Hall, F Kruzer, J Lorenzo, L Joseph, A Johnson, W H Horden, G W Aikman, J H Cherry, W Morrison, W Tite, Rev J A Lawie, T R Ellis, S A Cooper, Mr Williams, W J Pendray, J Hepworth and wife.

Consignees.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—J H Todd, Spratt & Gray, Langley & Co, A W Corbett, J A T Caton, A J Works, A Holmes, A B Gray, C Brousse, Capt. W H Meeker, G Gowen & Son, C H McDonald & Co, Colbert & Warner, R B Marvin, O F Giles, H Bornstein, H B Co, H A Lilley, J W S Flett, J H Baker, J Weiler, Leggat & Co, Lewis & Leiser, L G Wing, Marvin & Hilton, Pennock & Clayton, Richardson & Chinch, R T Williams, E Dunsmuir & Sons, Bissett & Pugh, B J Pitts, Welch Rithet & Co, W P Sayward.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED THAT Samuel Greer has no right or title to any portion of

LOT 536, GROUP 1,

New Westminster District, and any sales purporting to be made by him of any portion of the said lot, will be void.

For H. B. Ashcroft,
J. M. Browning,
Commissioner.

Vancouver, July 25, 1889. jy29-1m

LESSONS IN PAINTING

Mrs. Geo. Wise will give lessons in her method of Painting on Silk and Velvet. Terms moderate. Apply at 260 Johnson street. jy29 2w

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THE ANCIENT ORDER OF

FORESTERS

Will hold a

Grand Demonstration

—AT—

The Caledonian Society's Grounds, Beacon Hill, on

Saturday, Aug. 3d, '89.

The grounds will be suitably decorated for the occasion. Dancing will commence on the large platform at 4 p.m. Two large and efficient bands of music will be provided. Besides the regular programme of sports there will be Quoits, A. W. Sallies, Cockshies, etc.

A Grand Flower Show will be held in the grounds.

Grand Roots Hoop Tournament—Hundreds of Prizes. Each lady will on entering the grounds be presented with a ticket.

Programme of Sports.

	Ent.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
1. 700 yd foot race, men	50c	$7.50	$3.00	
2. Running high jump	50c	5.00	2.50	
3. Running long jump	50c	5.00	2.50	
4. Half mile foot race	25c	6.00	3.00	
5. Three legged race, with Boots, matches only	25c	4.00	2.00	
6. Potato race	free	Sack of potatoes		
7. Obstacle race	25c	4.00	2.00	
8. Sack race	25c	2.50		
9. Three mile foot race	1.00	15.00	5.00	
10. Race for Foresters over 60	free	Gold emblem		
11. Race for Foresters over 50	free	scarf pin.		
12. Foot race, for boys under 12	free	2.00	1.00	.50
13. Foot race, for girls under 12	free	2.00	1.00	.50
14. Tug of war, Foresters of Victoria vs. visiting brethren	free	10.00		
15. Leap frog race	25c	5.00	2.50	

ARCHERY.

1. For all comers, points, entrance 50c, 1st prize $7.50, 2d Box of cigars.
2. For ladies, entrance 25c, 1st prize Tea set, 2nd $5.00.
3. For Foresters, entrance 50c, prize Fine English bow (6 feet) and set of arrows, worth $7.50.
4. For Foresters' wives and sisters, entrance free, 1st prize Lady's silk sunshade, 2nd Lady's fan.

BOUQUET SHOW.

First Prize—A pair of handsome Flower Vases, value $6.00.
Second Prize—A pair of handsome Flower Vases, value $3.00.
Bouquets to be entered before 3 o'clock and not returnable.

Entrance to Grounds.....50c.
Children under 12.....25c.

For further information see posters.

H. L. Salmon, Secretary.

Separate tenders for supplying refreshments, meals and confectionery on grounds can be sent in not later than Tuesday, July 30th, marked "Tenders," addressed to H. L. Salmon, Secretary. jy11

LATE OF ARRIVING.

Ladies, Misses' and Children's

TAN COLORED

Buttoned Boots and Misses' Oxfords

—WILL BE—

SOLD AT COST

FOR THE

Remainder of this Month

—AT—

ERSKINE'S

Boot & Shoe Emporium,

No. 132

Government St., Cor. Johnson.

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FROM ROCK BAY TANNERY: A LIGHT green painted boat, 16 feet long, Brussels carpet cushions. A reward will be paid for recovery of same and apprehension of the thieves. jy27-1w W. HEATHORN.

O. R. & N. CO.

THE STEAMER

MICHIGAN

Will sail from

Portland for Victoria,

DIRECT,

ON FRIDAY, AUG. 2nd.

jy27 GEO. A. COOPER, Agent.

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the City Clerk's office up to Wednesday, the 31st day of July, inst., at 4 p. m., for grading and laying a sidewalk on Humboldt street, between Vancouver and Rupert streets.

Plans and Specifications may be consulted at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, July 29th, 1889. jy29

BROWN & MYERS,

AUCTIONEERS,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND APPRAISERS

ALL ORDERS TO SELL PROPERTY AT auction or private sale, merchandise furniture, real estate, etc., promptly attended to. Auction rooms, 64 Yates street, Victoria, B. C. jy23-1m

HAMILTON POWDER CO.

GUNPOWDER.

FROM AND AFTER 1st AUGUST prices of all grades of Gunpowder will be advanced 25 per cent. above current rates.

HAMILTON POWDER CO.,
WM. GORDON, Agent.

Office: Galpin Block, 47 Government St., Victoria, B. C. jy25-1m

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GUNPOWDER.

From and after 1st August prox., prices of all grades will be

ADVANCED 25 PER CENT.

Above current rates.

ROBERT WARD & CO.,
Agents for
MESSRS. CURTISS & HARVEY, LONDON.

Wharf street, Victoria, July 25th, 1889. jy25-1m

COWICHAN LAKE HOTEL

IS NOW OPEN.

GOOD ACCOMMODATION FOR FAMILIES And Sportsmen.

Splendid Fishing and Shooting,

With Lovely Scenery.

The hotel wagon meets the train three times a week. For further information, apply to HENRY SHORT, Gunmaker, Victoria. jy20 2m

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the City Clerk's office up to Wednesday, the 31st day of July, inst., at 4 p. m., for the construction of an addition to the City Hall.

Plans and specifications may be consulted at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, July 29th, 1889. jy25

NOTICE.

ROYAL HOSPITAL SITE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to noon on the 1st day of August, 1889, for the purchase of Sections 24, 25, 26 and 27, Spring Ridge, in the City of Victoria.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. STUART YATES,
Hon. Secretary.

NOTE.—The above property has been again offered for sale in consequence of some misunderstanding having arisen as to the terms of the previous call for tenders. jy18

HUDSON'S BAY COMP'Y.

We have Received ex "WANLOCK,"

A SHIPMENT OF

FIRE BRICKS

AND OFFER SAME AT LOW RATES.

A FRESH CONSIGNMENT OF

WIELAND'S PALE BOTTLED BEER

ALSO TO HAND.

BOURCHIER & HIGGINS,

Real Estate Brokers.

The brokers can invest money on gilt edge accounts, bearing 8½ per cent.

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TWO CARLOADS OF

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These Rigs are built by the

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(A branch of the Cortland Carriage Co., Cortland, N. Y.)

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Best Built and Handsomest Rigs ever Imported into British Columbia.

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COR. GOVERNMENT AND JOHNSON STS., VICTORIA, B. C.

jy5-d&w

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YATES STREET. jan 8

SPENCER'S ARCADE,

SALE OF GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Needing the room for other goods this department must be closed out, and the stock of White and Colored Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Ties, Braces, Underwear and Hosiery will be Sold at Cost,

COMMENCING FRIDAY, JULY 26th.

Also 100 Jerseys, which must be sold to make room for Fall Stock; 50 dozen Ladies' and Children's Aprons and Blouses, and 150 sample pairs of Ladies' Corsets. The above are Bargains.

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JAM CROCKS,

—AT—

Russell & McDonald Co's

STORE,

MASONIC BUILDING

Douglas Street.

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NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase Jenkins Island, which is situated south of Lasqueti Island, in the Strait of Georgia.

jy6 2m MORRIS MOSS.